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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

TIMOTHY P. WEIHS ET AL.

Application No.: 10/761,688

Filed: January 21, 2004

For: METHOD OF BONDING A FIRST
BODY TO A SECOND BODY

Examiner: Jonathan J. Johnson

Group Art Unit: 1725

May 11, 2006

Mail Stop: Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2006, Applicants respectfully request that the Remarks beginning on page 2 be entered into the above-identified application.

Applicants submit herewith a petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action for a period of one month to and including June 24, 2006.